

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 046264-065331	
In re Application of Vladimir I. Slepnev			
Application Number 10/600,201		Filed June 20, 2003	
For METHOD OF DETECTING SEQUENCE DIFFERENCES			
Group Art Unit 1637		Examiner Bertagna, Angela Marie	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate entity fee are as follows
(check time period desired):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) - (\$60/\$120)	\$ <u>60.00</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) - (\$230/\$460)	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) - (\$525/\$1050)	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) - (\$820/\$1640)	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) - (\$1115/\$2230)	\$ _____

☒ Applicant claims small entity status.

☐ A check to cover the fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0850.
I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

☒ attorney or agent of record.

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____.

<u>/Mark J. FitzGerald/</u>	<u>March 24, 2008</u>
Signature	Date
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Typed or printed name	Telephone Number

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.